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**SLIDER AND FABRICATION
OF A TRAILING EDGE THEREFOR
ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE**

A slider including a trench fabricated in an overcoat layer of a
5 transducer portion of the slider is disclosed. The trench forms a recessed trailing edge of the slider. The trailing edge is recessed a dimension defined by an etched depth of the trench to define a close point of the slider within desired operational parameters for read and/or write operations.

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